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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

↓ This Validation Summary Report (VSR) describes the extent to which a specific Ada compiler conforms to the Ada Standard, ANSI/MIL-STD-1815A. This report explains all technical terms used within it and thoroughly reports the results of testing this compiler using the Ada Compiler Validation Capability (ACVC). An Ada compiler must be implemented according to the Ada Standard, and any implementation-dependent features must conform to the requirements of the Ada Standard. The Ada Standard must be implemented in its entirety, and nothing can be implemented that is not in the Standard.

Even though all validated Ada Compilers conform to the Ada Standard, it must be understood that some differences do exist between implementations. The Ada Standard permits some implementation dependencies--for example, the maximum length of identifiers or the maximum values of integer types. Other differences between compilers result from the characteristics of particular operating systems, hardware, or implementation strategies. All the dependencies observed during the process of testing this compiler are given in this report.

The information in this report is derived from the test results produced during validation testing. The validation process includes submitting a suite of standardized tests, the ACVC, as inputs to an Ada compiler and evaluating the results. The purpose of validating is to ensure conformity of the compiler to the Ada Standard by testing that the compiler properly implements legal language constructs and that it identifies and rejects illegal language constructs. The testing also identifies behaviour that is implementation dependent but permitted by the Ada Standard. Six classes of tests are used. These tests are designed to perform checks at compile time, at link time, and during execution.

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1.1 PURPOSE OF THIS VALIDATION SUMMARY REPORT

This VSR documents the results of the validation testing performed on an Ada compiler. Testing was carried out for the following purposes:-

- . To attempt to identify any language constructs supported by the compiler that do not conform to the Ada Standard
- . To attempt to identify any language constructs not supported by the compiler but required by the Ada Standard
- . To determine that the implementation-dependent behaviour is allowed by the Ada Standard.

Testing of this compiler was conducted by NCC under the direction of the AVF according to procedures established by the Ada Joint Program Office and administered by the Ada Validation Organization (AVO). On-site testing was completed 2nd June 1988 at GEC Software Limited, 132-135 Long Acre, London.

1.2 USE OF THIS VALIDATION SUMMARY REPORT

Consistent with the national laws of the originating country, the AVO may make full and free public disclosure of this report. In the United States, this is provided in accordance with the "Freedom of Information Act" (5 U.S.C. #552). The results of this validation apply only to the computers, operating systems, and compiler versions identified in this report.

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1.3 REFERENCES

1. Reference Manual for the Ada Programming Language, ANSI/MIL-STD-1815A, February 1983 and ISO 8652-1987.
2. Ada Compiler Validation Procedures and Guidelines, Ada Joint Program Office, 1 January 1987.
3. Ada Compiler Validation Capability Implementers' Guide, SofTech, Inc., December 1986.
4. Ada Compiler Validation Capability User's Guide, December 1986.

1.4 DEFINITION OF TERMS

ACVC	The Ada Compiler Validation Capability. The set of Ada programs that tests the conformity of an Ada compiler to the Ada programming language.
Ada	An Ada Commentary contains all information relevant to the point addressed by a comment on the Ada Standard. These comments are given a unique identification number having the form AI-ddddd.
Ada Standard	ANSI/MIL-STD-1815A, February 1983 and ISO 8652-1987.

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Applicant	The agency requesting validation.
AVF	The Ada Validation Facility. The AVF is responsible for conducting compiler validations according to procedures contained in the Ada Validation Procedures and Guidelines.
AVO	The Ada Validation Organization. The AVO has oversight authority over all AVF practices for the purpose of maintaining a uniform process for validation of Ada compilers. The AVO provides administrative and technical support for Ada validations to ensure consistent practices.
Compiler	A processor for the Ada language. In the context of this report, a compiler is any language processor, including cross-compilers, translators, and interpreters.
Failed test	An ACVC test for which the compiler generates a result that demonstrates nonconformity to the Ada Standard.
Host	The computer on which the compiler resides.
Inapplicable test	An ACVC test that uses features of the language that a compiler is not required to support or may legitimately support in a way other than the one expected by the test.
Passed test	An ACVC test for which a compiler generates the expected result.
Target	The computer for which a compiler generates code.
Test	A program that checks a compiler's conformity regarding a particular feature or a combination of features to the Ada Standard. In the context of this report, the term is used to designate a single test, which may comprise one or more files.
Withdrawn test	An ACVC test found to be incorrect and not used to check conformity to the Ada Standard. A test may be incorrect because it has an invalid test objective, fails to meet its test objective, or contains illegal or erroneous use of the language.

1.5 ACVC TEST CLASSES

Conformity to the Ada Standard is measured using the ACVC. The ACVC contains both legal and illegal Ada programs structured into six test classes: A, B, C, D, E, and L. The first letter of a test name identifies the class to which it belongs. Class A, C, D, and E tests are executable, and special program units are used to report their results during execution. Class B tests are expected to produce compilation errors. Class L tests are expected to produce compilation or link errors.

Class A tests check that legal Ada programs can be successfully compiled and executed. There are no explicit program components in a Class A test to check semantics. For example, a Class A test checks that reserved words of another language (other than those already reserved in the Ada language) are not treated as reserved words by an Ada compiler. A Class A test is passed if no errors are detected at compile time and the program executes to produce a PASSED message.

- Class B tests check that a compiler detects illegal language usage. Class B tests are not executable. Each test in this class is compiled and the resulting compilation listing is examined to verify that every syntax or semantic error in the test is detected. A Class B test is passed if every illegal construct that it contains is detected by the compiler.

Class C tests check that legal Ada programs can be correctly compiled and executed. Each Class C test is self-checking and produces a PASSED, FAILED, or NOT APPLICABLE message indicating the result when it is executed.

Class D tests check the compilation and execution capacities of a compiler. Since there are no capacity requirements placed on a compiler by the Ada Standard for some parameters - for example, the number of identifiers permitted in a compilation or the number of units in a library - a compiler may refuse to compile a Class D test and still be a conforming compiler. Therefore, if a Class D test fails to compile because the capacity of the compiler is exceeded, the test is classified as inapplicable. If a Class D test compiles successfully, it is self-checking and produces a PASSED or FAILED message during execution.

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Each Class E test is self-checking and produces a NOT APPLICABLE PASSED, or FAILED message when it is compiled and executed. However, the Ada Standard permits an implementation to reject programs containing some features addressed by Class E tests during compilation. Therefore, a Class E test is passed by a compiler if it is compiled successfully and executes to produce a

PASSED message, or if it is rejected by the compiler for an allowable reason.

Class L tests check that incomplete or illegal Ada programs involving multiple, separately compiled units are detected and not allowed to execute. Class L tests are compiled separately and execution is attempted. A Class L test passes if it is rejected at link time--that is, an attempt to execute the main program must generate an error message before any declarations in the main program or any units referenced by the main program are elaborated.

Two library units, the package REPORT and the procedure CHECK_FILE, support are self-checking features of the executable tests. The package REPORT provides the mechanism by which executable tests report PASSED, FAILED, or NOT APPLICABLE results. It also provides a set of identity functions used to defeat some compiler optimizations allowed by the Ada Standard that would circumvent a test objective. The procedure CHECK_FILE is used to check the contents of text files written by some of the Class C tests for chapter 14 of the Ada Standard. The operation of REPORT and CHECK_FILE is checked by a set of executable tests. These tests produce messages that are examined to verify that the units are operating correctly. If these units are not operating correctly, then the validation is not attempted.

The text of the tests in the ACVC follow conventions that are intended to ensure that the tests are reasonably portable without modification. For example, the tests make use of only the basic set of 55 characters, contain lines with a maximum length of 72 characters, use small numeric values, and place features that may not be supported by all implementations in separate tests. However, some tests contain values that require the test to be customized according to implementation-specific values--for example, an illegal file name. A list of the values used for this validation is provided in Appendix C.

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A compiler must correctly process each of the tests in the suite and demonstrate conformity to the Ada Standard by either meeting the pass criteria given for the test or by showing that the test is inapplicable to the implementation. The applicability of a test to an implementation is considered each time the implementation is validated.

A test that is inapplicable for one validation is not necessarily inapplicable for a subsequent validation. Any test that was determined to contain an illegal language construct or an erroneous language construct is withdrawn from the ACVC and, therefore, is not used in testing a compiler. The tests withdrawn at the time of this validation are given in Appendix D.

CHAPTER 2

CONFIGURATION INFORMATION

2.1 CONFIGURATION TESTED

The candidate compilation system for this validation was tested under the following configuration:

Compiler: VADS, Version 5.5

ACVC Version: 1.9

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Host Computer:

Machine: HP9000/350

Operating System: HP-UX
Version 6.01 B

Memory Size: 13.8M Bytes

Target Computer:

Machine: HP9000/350

Operating System: HP-UX
Version 6.01 B

Memory Size: 13.8M Bytes Actual

2.2 IMPLEMENTATION CHARACTERISTICS

One of the purposes of validating compilers is to determine the behaviour of a compiler in those areas of the Ada Standard that permit implementations to differ. Class D and E tests specifically check for such implementation differences. However, tests in other classes also characterize an implementation. The tests demonstrate the following characteristics:

- . Capacities.

The compiler correctly processes tests containing loop statements nested to 65 levels, block statements nested to 65 levels, and recursive procedures separately compiled as subunits nested to 17 levels. It correctly processes a compilation containing 723 variables in the same declarative part. (See tests D55A03A..H (8 tests), D56001B, D64005E..G (3 tests), and D29002K.)

- . Universal integer calculations.

An implementation is allowed to reject universal integer calculations having values that exceed `SYSTEM.MAX_INT`. This implementation processes 64 bit integer calculations. (See tests D4A002A, D4A002B, D4A004A, and D4A004B.)

- . Predefined types.

This implementation supports the additional predefined types `SHORT_INTEGER`, `SHORT_FLOAT`, and `TINY_INTEGER` in the package `STANDARD`. (See tests B86001C and B86001D.)

- . Based literals.

An implementation is allowed to reject a based literal with a value exceeding `SYSTEM.MAX_INT` during compilation, or it may raise `NUMERIC_ERROR` or `CONSTRAINT_ERROR` during execution. This implementation raises `NUMERIC_ERROR` during execution. (See test E24101A.)

- . Expression evaluation.

Apparently no default initialization expressions for record components are evaluated before any value is checked to belong to a component's subtype. (See test C32117A.)

Assignments for subtypes are performed with the same precision as the base type. (See test C35712B.)

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This implementation uses no extra bits for extra precision. This implementation uses all extra bits for extra range. (See test C35903A.)

Sometimes `NUMERIC_ERROR` is raised when an integer literal operand in a comparison or membership test is outside the range of the base type. (See test C45232A.)

Apparently `NUMERIC_ERROR` is raised when a literal operand in a fixed-point comparison or membership test is outside the range of the base type. (See test C45252A.)

Apparently underflow is gradual. (See tests C45524A..Z.)

- Rounding.

The method used for rounding to integer is apparently round toward zero. (See tests C46012A..Z.)

The method used for rounding to longest integer is apparently round toward zero. (See tests C46012A..Z.)

The method used for rounding to integer in static universal real expressions is apparently round toward zero. (See test C4A014A.)

- Array types.

An implementation is allowed to raise `NUMERIC_ERROR` or `CONSTRAINT_ERROR` for an array having a `'LENGTH` that exceeds `STANDARD.INTEGER'LAST` and/or `SYSTEM.MAX_INT`. For this implementation:

Declaration of an array type or subtype declaration with more than `SYSTEM.MAX_INT` components raises no exception. (See test C36003A.)

`NUMERIC_ERROR` is raised when `'LENGTH` is applied to an array type with `INTEGER'LAST+2` components. (See test C36202A.)

`NUMERIC_ERROR` is raised when `'LENGTH` is applied to an array type with `SYSTEM.MAX_INT + 2` components. (See test C36202B.)

A packed `BOOLEAN` array having a `'LENGTH` exceeding `INTEGER'LAST` raises `NUMERIC_ERROR` when the array type is declared. (See test C52103X.)

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A packed two-dimensional BOOLEAN array with more than INTEGER'LAST components raises NUMERIC_ERROR when the array type is declared. (See test C52104Y.)

A null array with one dimension of length greater than INTEGER'LAST may raise NUMERIC_ERROR or CONSTRAINT_ERROR either when declared or assigned. Alternatively, an implementation may accept the declaration. However, lengths must match in array slice assignments. This implementation raises NUMERIC_ERROR when the array type is declared. (See test E52103Y.)

In assigning one-dimensional array types, the expression appears to be evaluated in its entirety before CONSTRAINT_ERROR is raised when checking whether the expression's subtype is compatible with the target's subtype. In assigning two-dimensional array types, the expression does not appear to be evaluated in its entirety before CONSTRAINT_ERROR is raised when checking whether the expression's subtype is compatible with the target's subtype. (See test C52013A.)

- Discriminated types.

During compilation, an implementation is allowed to either accept or reject an incomplete type with discriminants that is used in an access type definition with a compatible discriminant constraint. This implementation accepts such subtype indications. (See test E38104A.)

In assigning record types with discriminants, the expression appears to be evaluated in its entirety before CONSTRAINT_ERROR is raised when checking whether the expression's subtype is compatible with the target's subtype. (See test C52013A.)

- Aggregates.

In the evaluation of a multi-dimensional aggregate, all choices appear to be evaluated before checking against the index type. (See tests C43207A and C43207B.)

In the evaluation of an aggregate containing subaggregates, all choices are evaluated before being checked for identical bounds. (See test E43212B.)

All choices are evaluated before CONSTRAINT_ERROR is raised if a bound in a non-null range of a non-null aggregate does not belong to an index subtype. (See test E43211B.)

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. Representation Clauses

An implementation might legitimately place restrictions on representation clauses used by some of the tests. If a representation clause is used by a test in a way that violates a restriction, then the implementation must reject it.

Enumeration representation clauses containing noncontiguous values for enumeration types other than character and boolean types are supported. (See tests C35502I..J, C35502M..N, and A39005F.)

Enumeration representation clauses containing noncontiguous values for character types are supported. (See tests C35507I..J, C35507M..N, and C55B16A.)

Enumeration representation clauses for boolean types containing representational values other than (FALSE => 0, TRUE => 1) are supported. (See tests C35508I..J and C35508M..N.)

Length clauses with SIZE specifications for enumeration types are supported. (See test A39005B.)

Length clauses with STORAGE_SIZE specifications for access types are supported. (See tests A39005C and C87B62B.)

Length clauses with STORAGE_SIZE specifications for task types are supported. (See tests A39005D and C87B62D.)

Length clauses with SMALL specifications are supported. (See tests A39005E and C87B62C.)

Record representation clauses are supported. (See test A39005G.)

Length clauses with SIZE specifications for derived integer types are supported. (See test C87B62A.)

. Pragmas.

The pragma INLINE is supported for procedures. The pragma INLINE is supported for functions. (See tests LA3004A, LA3004B, EA3004C, EA3004D, CA3004E, and CA3004F.)

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. Input/output.

The package `SEQUENTIAL_IO` can be instantiated with unconstrained array types and record types with discriminants without defaults. (See tests `AE2101C`, `EE2201D`, and `EE2201E`.)

The package `DIRECT_IO` can be instantiated with unconstrained array types and record types with discriminants without defaults. (See tests `AE2101H`, `EE2401D`, and `EE2401G`.)

Modes `IN_FILE` and `OUT_FILE` are supported for `SEQUENTIAL_IO`. (See tests `CE2102D` and `CE2102E`.)

Modes `IN_FILE`, `OUT_FILE`, and `INOUT_FILE` are supported for `DIRECT_IO`. (See tests `CE2102F`, `CE2102I`, and `CE2102J`.)

`RESET` and `DELETE` are supported for `SEQUENTIAL_IO` and `DIRECT_IO`. (See tests `CE2102G` and `CE2102K`.)

Dynamic creation and deletion of files are supported for `SEQUENTIAL_IO` and `DIRECT_IO`. (See tests `CE2106A` and `CE2106B`.)

Overwriting to a sequential file truncates the file to last element written. (See test `CE2208B`.)

An existing text file can be opened in `OUT_FILE` mode, can be created in `OUT_FILE` mode, and can be created in `IN_FILE` mode. (See test `EE3102C`.)

More than one internal file can be associated with each external file for text I/O for both reading and writing (See tests `CE3111A..E` (5 tests), `CE3114B`, and `CE3115A`.)

More than one internal file can be associated with each external file for sequential I/O for both reading and writing. (See tests `CE2107A..D` (4 tests), `CE2110B`, and `CE2111D`.)

More than one internal file can be associated with each external file for direct I/O for both reading and writing (See tests `CE2107F..I` (4 tests), `CE2110B`, and `CE2111H`.)

An internal sequential access file and an internal direct access file can be associated with a single external file for writing. (See test `CE2107E`.)

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An external file associated with more than one internal file can be deleted for SEQUENTIAL_IO, DIRECT_IO, and TEXT_IO. (See test CE2110B.)

Temporary sequential files are given names. Temporary direct files are given names. Temporary files given names are deleted when they are closed. (See tests CE2108B and CE2108C.)

. Generics.

Generic subprogram declarations and bodies can be compiled in separate compilations. (See tests CA1012A and CA2009F.)

Generic package declarations and bodies can be compiled in separate compilations. (See tests CA2009C, BC3204C, and BC3205D.)

Generic unit bodies and their subunits can be compiled in separate compilations. (See test CA3011A.)

CHAPTER 3

TEST INFORMATION

3.1 TEST RESULTS

Version 1.9 of the ACVC comprises 3122 tests. When this compiler was tested, 27 tests had been withdrawn because of test errors. The AVF determined that 226 tests were inapplicable to this implementation. All inapplicable tests were processed during validation testing except for 201 executable tests that use floating-point precision exceeding that supported by the implementation. Modifications to the code, processing, or grading for 26 tests were required to successfully demonstrate the test objective. (See section 3.6.)

The AVF concludes that the testing results demonstrate acceptable conformity to the Ada Standard.

3.2 SUMMARY OF TEST RESULTS BY CLASS

RESULT	TEST CLASS						TOTAL
	A	B	C	D	E	L	Total
Passed	109	1049	1630	17	18	46	2869
Inapplicable	1	2	223	0	0	0	226
Withdrawn	3	2	21	0	1	0	27
TOTAL	113	1053	1874	17	19	46	3122

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3.3 SUMMARY OF TEST RESULTS BY CHAPTER

RESULT	CHAPTER														TOTAL
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
Passed	190	499	540	245	166	98	142	326	137	36	234	3	253	2869	
Inapplicable	14	73	134	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	226	
Withdrawn	2	14	3	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	2	1	2	27	
TOTAL	206	586	677	248	166	99	145	327	137	36	236	4	255	3122	

3.4 WITHDRAWN TESTS

- ◆ The following 27 tests were withdrawn from ACVC Version 1.9 at the time of this validation:

B28003A	C35904A	C37215C	C41402A	CC1311B
	C35904B		C45332A	
E28005C	C35A03E	C37215E	C45614C	BC3105A
C34004A	C35A03R	C37215G	A74016C	AD1A01A
C35502P	C37213H	C37215H	C85018B	CE2401H
A35902C	C37213J	C38102C	C87B04B	CE3208A

See Appendix D for the reason that each of these tests was withdrawn.

3.5 INAPPLICABLE TESTS

Some tests do not apply to all compilers because they make use of features that a compiler is not required by the Ada Standard to support. Others may depend on the result of another test that is either inapplicable or withdrawn. The applicability of a test to an implementation is considered each time a validation is attempted. A test that is inapplicable for one validation attempt is not necessarily inapplicable for a subsequent attempt. For this validation attempt, 226 tests were inapplicable for the reasons indicated:

- . C35702B uses LONG_FLOAT which is not supported by this implementation.

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- . A39005G uses an array within a record, for which a record representation clause has been stated in the declaration which this compiler does not implicitly pack.
- . The following tests use LONG_INTEGER, which is not supported by this compiler:

C45231C	C45304C	C45502C	C45503C	C45504C
C45504F	C45611C	C45613C		C45631C
C45632C	B52004D	C55B07A	B55B09C	

- . C45531M, C45531N, C45532M, and C45532N use fine 48-bit fixed-point base types which are not supported by this compiler.
- . C45531O, C45531P, C45532O, and C45532P use coarse 48-bit fixed-point base types which are not supported by this compiler.
- . C86001F redefines package SYSTEM, but TEXT_IO is made obsolete by this new definition in this implementation and the test cannot be executed since the package REPORT is dependent on the package TEXT_IO.
- . C96005B requires the range of type DURATION to be different from those of its base type; in this implementation they are the same.
- . The following 201 tests require a floating-point accuracy that exceeds the maximum of 15 digits supported by this implementation:

C24113L..Y (14 tests)	C35705L..Y (14 tests)
C35706L..Y (14 tests)	C35707L..Y (14 tests)
C35708L..Y (14 tests)	C35802L..Z (15 tests)
C45241L..Y (14 tests)	C45321L..Y (14 tests)
C45421L..Y (14 tests)	C45521L..Z (15 tests)
C45524L..Z (15 tests)	C45621L..Z (15 tests)
C45641L..Y (14 tests)	C46012L..Z (15 tests)

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3.6 TEST, PROCESSING, AND EVALUATION MODIFICATIONS

It is expected that some tests will require modifications of code, processing, or evaluation in order to compensate for legitimate implementation behaviour. Modifications are made by the AVF in cases where legitimate implementation behaviour prevents the successful completion of an (otherwise) applicable test. Examples of such modifications include: adding a length clause to alter the default size of a collection; splitting a Class B test into subtests so that all errors are detected; and confirming that messages produced by an executable test demonstrate conforming behaviour that wasn't anticipated by the test (such as raising one exception instead of another).

Modifications were required for 26 Class B tests.

The following Class B tests were split because syntax errors at one point resulted in the compiler not detecting other errors in the test:

B24009A	B24204A	B24204B	B24204C	B2A003A
B2A003B	B2A003C	B33301A	B37201A	B38003A
B38003B	B38009A	B38009B	B41202A	B44001A
B64001A	B67001A	B67001B	B67001C	B67001D
B91001H	B91003B	B95001A	B97102A	BC1303F
BC3005B				

3.7 ADDITIONAL TESTING INFORMATION

3.7.1 Prevalidation

Prior to validation, a set of test results for ACVC Version 1.9 produced by the VADS was submitted to the AVF by the applicant for review. Analysis of these results demonstrated that the compiler successfully passed all applicable tests, and the compiler exhibited the expected behaviour on all inapplicable tests.

3.7.2 Test Method

Testing of the VADS using ACVC Version 1.9 was conducted on-site by a validation team from the AVF. The configuration consisted of a HP9000/350 operating under HP-UX, Version 6.01 B.

TEST INFORMATION

A Magnetic Tape containing all tests was taken on-site by the validation team for processing. Tests that make use of implementation-specific values were customized before being written to the Magnetic Tape. Tests requiring modifications during the pre-validation testing were not included in their modified form on the Magnetic Tape. The contents of the Magnetic Tape were not loaded directly onto the host computer.

The contents of the magnetic tape were loaded onto a VAX VMS 11/780 and then transferred via Ethernet onto the host computer.

After the test files were loaded to disk, the full set of tests was compiled and linked on the HP9000/350, and all executable tests were run on the HP9000/350. Results were printed from the host computer.

The compiler was tested using command scripts provided by GEC Software Limited and reviewed by the validation team. The compiler was tested using all default option settings except for the following:

Option	Effect
-el	Errors Interspersed into Source Code

Tests were compiled, linked, and executed (as appropriate) using a single host computer. Test output, compilation listings, and job logs were captured on Magnetic Tape and archived at the AVF. The listings examined on-site by the validation team were also archived.

3.7.3 Test Site

Testing was conducted at GEC Software Limited, 132-135 Long Acre, London and was completed on 2nd June 1988.

APPENDIX A
DECLARATION OF CONFORMANCE

GEC Software Limited has submitted the following
Declaration of Conformance concerning the VADS.

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Compiler Implementor: GEC Software Limited
Ada* Validation Facility: The National Computing Centre Limited
Ada Compiler Validation Capability (ACVC) Version: 1.9

Base Configuration

```
Base Compiler Name:  VADS                      Version:  Version 5.5
Host Architecture ISA: HP9000/350              OS&VER  #:HP-UX,Version 6.01 B
Target Architecture ISA: HP9000/350             OS&VER  #:HP-UX,Version 6.01 B
```

Implementor's Declaration

I, the undersigned, representing GEC Software Limited, have implemented no deliberate extensions to the Ada Language Standard ANSI/MIL-STD-1815A in the compiler(s) listed in this declaration. I declare that The Verdix Corporation is the owner of record of the Ada language compiler(s) listed above and, as such, is responsible for maintaining said compiler(s) in conformance to ANSI/MIL-STD-1815A. GEC Software Limited has carried out the port of the Verdix Vads product under subcontract to Verdix and with Verdix' full licence authority. GEC Software are the Ada Technology Centre for Verdix in Europe. All certificates and registrations for Ada language compiler(s) listed in this declaration shall be made only in the owner's corporate name.

A. C. Gell Date 17/6/80

GEC Software Limited
ANNE EVETTS, Commercial Manager

*Ada is a registered trademark of the United States Government (Ada Joint Program Office).

DECLARATION OF CONFORMANCE

Owner's Declaration

I, the undersigned, representing GEC Software Limited, take full responsibility for the implementation and maintenance of the Ada compiler(s) listed above under the terms of the subcontract from Verdix Corporation and agree to the public disclosure of the final Validation Summary Report. I further agree to continue to comply with the Ada trademark policy, as defined by the Ada Joint Program Office. I declare that all of the Ada language compilers listed, and their host/target performance, are in compliance with the Ada Language Standard ANSI/MIL-STD-1815A.

Anne Evetts
GEC Software Limited
ANNE EVETTS, Commercial Manager

Date: 17/10/81

APPENDIX B

APPENDIX F OF THE Ada STANDARD

The only allowed implementation dependencies correspond to implementation-dependent pragmas, to certain machine-dependent conventions as mentioned in chapter 13 of the Ada Standard, and to certain allowed restrictions on representation clauses. The implementation-dependent characteristics of the VADS, Version 5.5, are described in the following sections, which discuss topics in Appendix F of the Ada Standard. Implementation-specific portions of the package STANDARD are also included in this appendix.

APPENDIX F. Implementation-Dependent Characteristics

1. Implementation-Dependent Pragmas

1.1. `INLINE_ONLY` Pragma

The `INLINE_ONLY` pragma, when used in the same way as pragma `INLINE`, indicates to the compiler that the subprogram must *always* be inlined. This pragma also suppresses the generation of a callable version of the routine which save code space.

1.2. `BUILT_IN` Pragma

The `BUILT_IN` pragma is used in the implementation of some predefined Ada packages, but provides no user access. It is used only to implement code bodies for which no actual Ada body can be provided, for example the `MACHINE_CODE` package.

1.3. `SHARE_CODE` Pragma

The `SHARE_CODE` pragma takes the name of a generic instantiation or a generic unit as the first argument and one of the identifiers `TRUE` or `FALSE` as the second argument. This pragma is only allowed immediately at the place of a declarative item in a declarative part or package specification, or after a library unit in a compilation, but before any subsequent compilation unit.

When the first argument is a generic unit the pragma applies to all instantiations of that generic. When the first argument is the name of a generic instantiation the pragma applies only to the specified instantiation, or overloaded instantiations.

If the second argument is `TRUE` the compiler will try to share code generated for a generic instantiation with code generated for other instantiations of the same generic. When the second argument is `FALSE` each instantiation will get a unique copy of the generated code. The extent to which code is shared between instantiations depends on this pragma and the kind of generic formal parameters declared for the generic unit.

The name pragma `SHARE_BODY` is also recognized by the implementation and has the same effect as `SHARE_CODE`. It is included for compatability with earlier versions of VADS.

1.4. `NO_IMAGE` Pragma

The pragma suppresses the generation of the image array used for the `IMAGE` attribute of enumeration types. This eliminates the overhead required to store the array in the executable image.

1.5. `EXTERNAL_NAME` Pragma

The `EXTERNAL_NAME` pragma takes the name of a subprogram or variable defined in Ada and allows the user to specify a different external name that may be used to reference the entity from other languages. The pragma is allowed at the place of a declarative item in a package specification and must apply to an object declared earlier in the same package specification.

1.6. `INTERFACE_OBJECT` Pragma

The `INTERFACE_OBJECT` pragma takes the name of a variable defined in another language and allows it to be referenced directly in Ada. The pragma will replace all occurrences of the variable name with an external reference to the second, `link_argument`. The pragma is allowed at the place of a declarative item in a package specification and must apply to an object declared earlier in the same package specification. The object must be declared as a scalar or an access type. The object *cannot* be

any of the following:

- a loop variable,
- a constant,
- an initialized variable,
- an array, or
- a record.

1.7. IMPLICIT_CODE Pragma

Takes one of the identifiers ON or OFF as the single argument. This pragma is only allowed within a machine code procedure. It specifies that implicit code generated by the compiler be allowed or disallowed. A warning is issued if OFF is used and any implicit code needs to be generated. The default is ON.

2. Implementation of Predefined Pragmas

2.1. CONTROLLED

This pragma is recognized by the implementation but has no effect.

2.2. ELABORATE

This pragma is implemented as described in Appendix B of the Ada RM.

2.3. INLINE

This pragma is implemented as described in Appendix B of the Ada RM.

2.4. INTERFACE

This pragma supports calls to 'C' and FORTRAN functions. The Ada subprograms can be either functions or procedures. The types of parameters and the result type for functions must be scalar, access or the predefined type ADDRESS in SYSTEM. An optional third argument overrides the default link name. All parameters must have mode IN. Record and array objects can be passed by reference using the ADDRESS attribute.

2.5. LIST

This pragma is implemented as described in Appendix B of the Ada RM.

2.6. MEMORY_SIZE

This pragma is recognized by the implementation. The implementation does not allow SYSTEM to be modified by means of pragmas, the SYSTEM package must be recompiled.

2.7. OPTIMIZE

This pragma is recognized by the implementation but has no effect.

2.8. PACK

This pragma will cause the compiler to choose a non-aligned representation for composite types. It will not cause objects to be packed at the bit level.

2.9. PAGE

This pragma is implemented as described in Appendix B of the Ada RM.

2.10. PRIORITY

This pragma is implemented as described in Appendix B of the Ada RM.

2.11. SHARED

This pragma is recognized by the implementation but has no effect.

2.12. STORAGE_UNIT

This pragma is recognized by the implementation. The implementation does not allow SYSTEM to be modified by means of pragmas, the SYSTEM package must be recompiled.

2.13. SUPPRESS

This pragma is implemented as described, except that RANGE_CHECK and DIVISION_CHECK cannot be suppressed.

2.14. SYSTEM_NAME

This pragma is recognized by the implementation. The implementation does not allow SYSTEM to be modified by means of pragmas, the SYSTEM package must be recompiled.

3. Implementation-Dependent Attributes

3.1. P'REF

For a prefix that denotes an object, a program unit, a label, or an entry:

This attribute denotes the effective address of the first of the storage units allocated to P. For a subprogram, package, task unit, or label, it refers to the address of the machine code associated with the corresponding body or statement. For an entry for which an address clause has been given, it refers to the corresponding hardware interrupt. The attribute is of the type OPERAND defined in the package MACHINE_CODE. The attribute is only allowed within a machine code procedure.

See section F.4.8 for more information on the use of this attribute.

(For a package, task unit, or entry, the 'REF attribute is not supported.)

4. Specification Of Package SYSTEM

```

package SYSTEM
is
    type NAME is ( hpown_name );
    SYSTEM_NAME : constant NAME := hpown_name;
    STORAGE_UNIT : constant := 8;
    MEMORY_SIZE : constant := 16_777_216;

    -- System-Dependent Named Numbers
    MIN_INT : constant := -2_147_483_648;
    MAX_INT : constant := 2_147_483_647;
    MAX_DIGITS : constant := 15;
    MAX_MANTISSA : constant := 31;
    PINE_DELTA : constant := 2.0**(-31);
    TICK : constant := 0.01;

    -- Other System-dependent Declarations
    subtype PRIORITY is INTEGER range 0 .. 99;
    MAX_REC_SIZE : integer := 64*1024;
    type ADDRESS is private;
    NO_ADDR : constant ADDRESS;

    function PHYSICAL_ADDRESS(I: INTEGER) return ADDRESS;
    function ADDR_OT(A, B: ADDRESS) return BOOLEAN;
    function ADDR_LT(A, B: ADDRESS) return BOOLEAN;
    function ADDR_GE(A, B: ADDRESS) return BOOLEAN;
    function ADDR_LE(A, B: ADDRESS) return BOOLEAN;
    function ADDR_DIFF(A, B: ADDRESS) return INTEGER;
    function INCR_ADDR(A: ADDRESS; INCR: INTEGER) return ADDRESS;
    function DECR_ADDR(A: ADDRESS; DECR: INTEGER) return ADDRESS;

    function ">"(A, B: ADDRESS) return BOOLEAN renames ADDR_OT;
    function "<"(A, B: ADDRESS) return BOOLEAN renames ADDR_LT;
    function ">="(A, B: ADDRESS) return BOOLEAN renames ADDR_GE;
    function "<="(A, B: ADDRESS) return BOOLEAN renames ADDR_LE;
    function "-"(A, B: ADDRESS) return INTEGER renames ADDR_DIFF;
    function "+"(A: ADDRESS; INCR: INTEGER) return ADDRESS renames INCR_ADDR;
    function "-"(A: ADDRESS; DECR: INTEGER) return ADDRESS renames DECR_ADDR;

    pragma inline(ADDR_OT);
    pragma inline(ADDR_LT);
    pragma inline(ADDR_GE);
    pragma inline(ADDR_LE);
    pragma inline(ADDR_DIFF);
    pragma inline(INCR_ADDR);
    pragma inline(DECR_ADDR);
    pragma inline(PHYSICAL_ADDRESS);

private
    type ADDRESS is new integer;
    NO_ADDR : constant ADDRESS := 0;

end SYSTEM;

```

5. Restrictions On Representation Clauses

5.1. Pragma PACK

Array components less than STORAGE_UNIT bits are packed to the next highest power of 2 bits. Objects and larger components are packed to the nearest whole STORAGE_UNIT. In the absence of pragma PACK record components are padded so as to provide for efficient access by the target hardware, pragma PACK applied to a record eliminated the padding where possible. Pragma PACK has no other effect on the storage allocate for record components a record representation is required.

5.2. Record Representation Clauses

For scalar types a representation clause will pack to the number of bits required to represent the range of the subtype. A record representation applied to a composite type will not cause the object to be packed to fit in the space required. An explicit representation clause must be given for the component type. An

error will be issued if there is insufficient space allocated.

5.3. Address Clauses

Address clauses are supported for variables and constants.

5.4. Interrupts

Interrupt entries are not supported.

5.5. Representation Attributes

The ADDRESS attribute is not supported for the following entities:

- Packages
- Tasks
- Labels
- Entries

5.6. Machine Code Insertions

Machine code insertions are supported.

The general definition of the package MACHINE_CODE provides an assembly language interface for the target machine. It provides the necessary record type(s) needed in the code statement, an enumeration type of all the opcode mnemonics, a set of register definitions, and a set of addressing mode functions.

The general syntax of a machine code statement is as follows:

```
CODE_n'( opcode, operand {, operand} );
```

where *n* indicates the number of operands in the aggregate.

A special case arises for a variable number of operands. The operands are listed within a subaggregate. The format is as follows:

```
CODE_N'( opcode, (operand {, operand}) );
```

For those opcodes that require no operands, named notation must be used (cf. RM 4.3(4)).

```
CODE_0'( op => opcode );
```

The *opcode* must be an enumeration literal (i.e. it cannot be an object, attribute, or a rename).

An *operand* can only be an entity defined in MACHINE_CODE or the 'REF attribute.

The arguments to any of the functions defined in MACHINE_CODE must be static expressions, string literals, or the functions defined in MACHINE_CODE. The 'REF attribute may not be used as an argument in any of these functions.

Inline expansion of machine code procedures is supported.

6. Conventions for Implementation-generated Names

There are no implementation-generated names.

7. Interpretation of Expressions in Address Clauses

Address clauses are supported for constants and variables.

8. Restrictions on Unchecked Conversions

None.

9. Restrictions on Unchecked Deallocations

None.

10. Implementation Characteristics of I/O Packages

Instantiations of `DIRECT_IO` use the value `MAX_REC_SIZE` as the record size (expressed in `STORAGE_UNITS`) when the size of `ELEMENT_TYPE` exceeds that value. For example for unconstrained arrays such as string where `ELEMENT_TYPE`'SIZE is very large, `MAX_REC_SIZE` is used instead. `MAX_RECORD_SIZE` is defined in `SYSTEM` and can be changed by a program before instantiating `DIRECT_IO` to provide an upper limit on the record size. In any case the maximum size supported is $1024 \times 1024 \times \text{STORAGE_UNIT}$ bits. `DIRECT_IO` will raise `USE_ERROR` if `MAX_REC_SIZE` exceeds this absolute limit.

Instantiations of `SEQUENTIAL_IO` use the value `MAX_REC_SIZE` as the record size (expressed in `STORAGE_UNITS`) when the size of `ELEMENT_TYPE` exceeds that value. For example for unconstrained arrays such as string where `ELEMENT_TYPE`'SIZE is very large, `MAX_REC_SIZE` is used instead. `MAX_RECORD_SIZE` is defined in `SYSTEM` and can be changed by a program before instantiating `INTEGER_IO` to provide an upper limit on the record size. `SEQUENTIAL_IO` imposes no limit on `MAX_REC_SIZE`.

11. Implementation Limits

The following limits are actually enforced by the implementation. It is not intended to imply that resources up to or even near these limits are available to every program.

11.1. Line Length

The implementation supports a maximum line length of 500 characters including the end of line character.

11.2. Record and Array Sizes

The maximum size of a statically sized array type is $4,000,000 \times \text{STORAGE_UNITS}$. The maximum size of a statically sized record type is $4,000,000 \times \text{STORAGE_UNITS}$. A record type or array type declaration that exceeds these limits will generate a warning message.

11.3. Default Stack Size for Tasks

In the absence of an explicit `STORAGE_SIZE` length specification every task except the main program is allocated a fixed size stack of 10,240 `STORAGE_UNITS`. This is the value returned by `T'SORAGE_SIZE` for a task type `T`.

11.4. Default Collection Size

In the absence of an explicit `STORAGE_SIZE` length attribute the default collection size for an access type is 100,000 `STORAGE_UNITS`. This is the value returned by `T'SORAGE_SIZE` for an access

type T.

11.5. Limit on Declared Objects

There is an absolute limit of 6,000,000 x STORAGE_UNITS for objects declared statically within a compilation unit. If this value is exceeded the compiler will terminate the compilation of the unit with a FATAL error message.

PACKAGE STANDARD

package STANDARD

type INTEGER is range -21474_83648 .. 21474_83647

type FLOAT is digits 15 range -1.797693134E+308 ..
1.797693134E+308

type DURATION is delta 1E-03 range -2_147_483.648 ..
2_147_483.647

-- Optionally supported numeric types

type SHORT_INTEGER is range -32768 .. 32767

type SHORT_FLOAT is digits 6 range -3.40282E+38 .. 3.40282E+38

-- Any additional predefined types

type TINY_INTEGER is range -128 .. 127

APPENDIX C

TEST PARAMETERS

Certain tests in the ACVC make use of implementation-dependent values, such as the maximum length of an input line and invalid file names. A test that makes use of such values is identified by the extension .TST in its file name. Actual values to be substituted are represented by names that begin with a dollar sign. A value must be substituted for each of these names before the test is run. The values used for this validation are given below.

Name_and_Meaning_____	Value_____
\$BIG_ID1 Identifier the size of the maximum input line length with varying last character.	1..498=>'A',499=>'1'
• \$BIG_ID2 Identifier the size of the maximum input line length with varying last character.	1..498=>'A',499=>'2'
\$BIG_ID3 Identifier the size of the maximum input line length with varying middle character.	1..249=>'A',250=>'3' 251..499=>'A'
\$BIG_ID4 Identifier the size of the maximum input line length with varying middle character.	1..249=>'A',250=>'4' 251..499=>'A'
\$BIG_INT_LIT An integer literal of value 298 with enough leading zeroes so that it is the size of the maximum line length.	1..496=>'0', 497..499=>'298'
\$BIG_REAL_LIT A universal real literal of value 690.0 with enough leading zeroes to be the size of the maximum line length.	1..494=>'0', 495..499=>'690.0'

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Name_and_Meaning_____	Value_____
\$BIG_STRING1 A string literal which when catenated with BIG_STRING2 yields the image of BIG_ID1.	"1..249=>'A'"
\$BIG_STRING2 A string literal which when catenated to the end of BIG_STRING1 yields the image of BIG_ID1.	"1..249=>'A',250=>'1'"
\$BLANKS A sequence of blanks twenty characters less than the size of the maximum line length.	1..479=>' '
\$COUNT_LAST A universal integer literal whose value is TEXT_IO.COUNT'LAST.	21474_83647
\$FIELD_LAST A universal integer literal whose value is TEXT_IO.FIELD'LAST.	21474_83647
\$FILE_NAME_WITH_BAD_CHARS An external file name that either contains invalid characters or is too long.	/illegal/file_name/ 2{]\$%2102C.DAT
\$FILE_NAME_WITH_WILD_CARD_CHAR An external file name that either contains a wild card character or is too long.	/illegal/file_name/ CE2102C*.DAT
\$GREATER_THAN_DURATION A universal real literal that lies between DURATION'BASE'LAST and DURATION'LAST or any value in the range of DURATION.	75_000.0
\$GREATER_THAN_DURATION_BASE_LAST A universal real literal that is greater than DURATION'BASE'LAST.	2_147_484.0

TEST PARAMETERS

Name_and_Meaning_____	Value_____
\$ILLEGAL_EXTERNAL_FILE_NAME1 An external file name which contains invalid characters.	/no/such/directory/ ILLEGAL_EXTERNAL_FILE_NAME1
\$ILLEGAL_EXTERNAL_FILE_NAME2 An external file name which is too long.	/no/such/directory/ ILLEGAL_EXTERNAL_FILE_NAME2
\$INTEGER_FIRST A universal integer literal whose value is INTEGER'FIRST.	-2147483648
\$INTEGER_LAST A universal integer literal whose value is INTEGER'LAST.	2147483647
\$INTEGER_LAST_PLUS_1 A universal integer literal whose value is INTEGER'LAST + 1.	21474_83648
\$LESS_THAN_DURATION A universal real literal that lies between DURATION'BASE'FIRST and DURATION'FIRST or any value in the range of DURATION.	-75_000.0
\$LESS_THAN_DURATION_BASE_FIRST A universal real literal that is less than DURATION'BASE'FIRST.	-2_147_484.0
\$MAX_DIGITS Maximum digits supported for floating-point types.	15
\$MAX_IN_LEN Maximum input line length permitted by the implementation.	499
\$MAX_INT A universal integer literal whose value is SYSTEM.MAX_INT.	2147483647
\$MAX_INT_PLUS_1 A universal integer literal whose value is SYSTEM.MAX_INT+1.	2147483648

TEST PARAMETERS

Name_and_Meaning_____	Value_____
<p>\$MAX_LEN_INT_BASED_LITERAL</p> <p>A universal integer based literal whose value is 2#11# with enough leading zeroes in the mantissa to be MAX_IN_LEN long.</p>	<p>1..2=>'2:',3..496=>'0', 497..499=>'11:'</p>
<p>\$MAX_LEN_REAL_BASED_LITERAL</p> <p>A universal real based literal whose value is 16:F.E: with enough leading zeroes in the mantissa to be MAX_IN_LEN long.</p>	<p>1..3=>'16:',4..495=>'0', 496..499=>'F.E:'</p>
<p>\$MAX_STRING_LITERAL</p> <p>A string literal of size MAX_IN_LEN, including the quote characters.</p>	<p>"1..497=>'A'"</p>
<p>◆ \$MIN_INT</p> <p>A universal integer literal whose value is SYSTEM.MIN_INT.</p>	<p>-2147483648</p>
<p>\$NAME</p> <p>A name of a predefined numeric type other than FLOAT, INTEGER, SHORT_FLOAT, SHORT_INTEGER, LONG_FLOAT, or LONG_INTEGER.</p>	<p>TINY_INTEGER</p>
<p>\$NEG_BASED_INT</p> <p>A based integer literal whose highest order nonzero bit falls in the sign bit position of the representation for SYSTEM.MAX_INT.</p>	<p>16#FFFFFFFFE#</p>

APPENDIX D

WITHDRAWN TESTS

Some tests are withdrawn from the ACVC because they do not conform to the Ada Standard. The following 27 tests had been withdrawn at the time of validation testing for the reasons indicated. A reference of the form "AI-ddddd" is to an Ada Commentary.

- B28003A: A basic declaration (line 36) wrongly follows a later declaration.
- E28005C: This test requires that 'PRAGMA LIST (ON);' not appear in a listing that has been suspended by a previous "pragma LIST (OFF);"; the Ada Standard is not clear on this point, and the matter will be reviewed by the ALMP.
- C34004A: The expression in line 168 wrongly yields a value outside of the range of the target T, raising CONSTRAINT_ERROR.
- C35502P: The equality operators in lines 62 and 69 should be inequality operators.
- A35902C: Line 17's assignment of the nominal upper bound of a fixed point type to an object of that type raises CONSTRAINT_ERROR for that value lies outside of the actual range of the type.
- C35904A: The elaboration of the fixed-point subtype on line 28 wrongly raises CONSTRAINT_ERROR, because its upper bound exceeds that of the type.
- C35904B: The subtype declaration that is expected to raise CONSTRAINT_ERROR when its compatibility is checked against that of various types passed as actual generic parameters, may in fact raise NUMERIC_ERROR or CONSTRAINT_ERROR for reasons not anticipated by the test.
- C35A03E: This test assumes that attribute 'MANTISSA' returns 0 when applied to a fixed-point type with a null range, but the Ada Standard doesn't support this assumption.
- C35A03R: This test assumes that attribute 'MANTISSA' returns 0 when applied to a fixed-point type with a null range, but the Ada Standard doesn't support this assumption.

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- C37213H: The subtype declaration of SCONS in line 100 is wrongly expected to raise an exception when elaborated.
- C37213J: The aggregate in line 451 wrongly raises CONSTRAINT_ERROR.
- C37215C: Various discriminant constraints are wrongly expected
C37215E: to be incompatible with type CONS.
C37215G:
C37215H:
- C38102C: The fixed-point conversion on line 3 wrongly raises CONSTRAINT_ERROR.
- C41402A: 'STORAGE_SIZE' is wrongly applied to an object of an access type.
- C45332A: The test expects that either an expression in line 52 will raise an exception or else MACHINE_OVERFLOW is FALSE. However, an implementation may evaluate the expression correctly using a type with a wider range than the base type of the operands, and MACHINE_OVERFLOW may still be TRUE.
- C45614C: REPORT_IDENT_INT has an argument of the wrong type (LONG_INTEGER).
- A74016C: A bound specified in a fixed-point subtype declaration
C85018B: lies outside that calculated for the base type, raising
C87B04B: CONSTRAINT_ERROR. Errors of this sort occur re lines
CC1311B: 37, 59, 142 and 143, 16 and 48, 252 and 253 of the four tests respectively (and possibly elsewhere).
- BC3105A: Lines 159..168 are wrongly expected to be incorrect; they are correct.
- AD1A01A: The declaration of subtype INT3 raises CONSTRAINT_ERROR for implementations that select INT'SIZE to be 16 or greater.
- CE2401H: The record aggregates in lines 105 and 117 contain the wrong values.
- CE3208A: This test expects that an attempt to open the default output file (after it was closed) with mode IN_FILE raises NAME_ERROR or USE_ERROR; by Commentary AI-00048, MODE_ERROR should be raised.